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 Filed: 10/16/2001  
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 For: SYSTEM, DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PLACING A BODY  
 IMPLANTABLE LEAD IN THE CORONARY SINUS REGION OF  
 THE HEART

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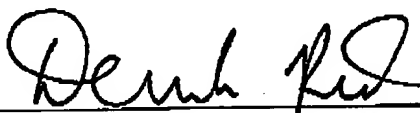
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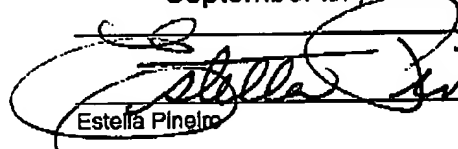
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